

House Resolution No. 137

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State youths who admirably pursue the knowledge, skills, and experiences necessary to become lifelong learners, involved citizens, and future societal leaders; and

Whereas, Joseph D. Woodcock of Aurora, Missouri, has attained considerable distinction as an attorney; and

Whereas, Joseph Woodcock recently enhanced his already impressive record of accomplishment when he was selected to receive the Community Service Award from the Aurora Chamber of Commerce; and

Whereas, the Community Service Award is given to an individual who has given of their time and energy to support the community for a minimum of ten years; and

Whereas, the husband of Cathy Woodcock, Joseph Woodcock is justifiably proud also to be known as the loving father of Jeff and Kim Woodcock and of Scott and Rana Woodcock and as the wonderful grandfather of Miles Woodcock and Eva Woodcock; and

Whereas, Joseph Woodcock has developed and maintained an excellent reputation for his involvement in the Aurora Chamber of Commerce Board, Aurora Rotary, Meals on Wheels, Aurora R-VIII School District Board, Aurora United Methodist Church, Little League Board, Athletic Booster Club, Habitat for Humanity, Aurora Junior Chamber of Commerce, and Hospital Board, and as the Legal Counsel for Habitat for Humanity; and

Whereas, no stranger to honors and accolades, Joseph Woodcock has served as the president of the Aurora Chamber of Commerce, president of Rotary in Aurora, president of the local school board, a Paul Harris Fellow with Rotary International, secretary of the Barry/Lawrence Bar Association, and mentor for The Missouri Bar; and

Whereas, it is fitting and proper that the Missouri House of Representatives should pause in its diverse legislative activities in order to acknowledge milestone events in the lives of such outstanding Missouri residents as Joseph Woodcock:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the accomplishments garnered thus far in the life of Joseph Woodcock and to convey to him this legislative body's most heartfelt congratulations upon receiving the Community Service Award presented by the Aurora Chamber of Commerce; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for presentation to Joseph Woodcock of Aurora, Missouri.

Offered by _____
Representative Don Ruzicka
District No. 132

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-fourth General Assembly, Second Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 137, adopted January 16, 2008.

Rod Jetton, Speaker